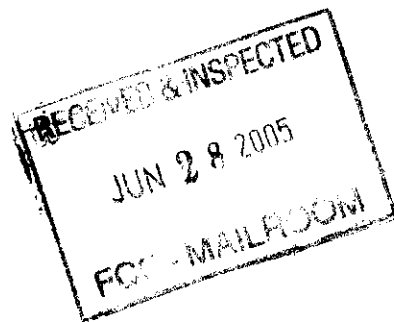


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Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 Twelfth Street, S.W.
Washington, D. C. 20554

RE: KALW (FM), San Francisco, CA
MB Docket No. 04-191

Dear Secretary,

I am writing in support of radio station KALW. This station has meant a great deal to me and to the people of San Francisco. My first knowledge of it was in 1949 when my 6th grade class wrote a script about poetry and literature to be read over the air. It was near the end of the school year and Memorial Day, so my part was to recite "In Flanders Fields the poppies blow between the crosses, row on row ..." That experience made a lasting impression on me – I still have the script (printed in purple Ditto ink).

To this day, my radio is tuned to 91.7 FM, KALW. It is practically my sole source of news, both foreign and domestic, programs on spirituality, race relations, politics, and nature.

The outstanding local programs and variety of offerings is extremely enriching. Please renew KALW's broadcast license.

Sincerely,

Julie E. Alden

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